

Requirements

- Copy of valid CNIC of owner and editor (duly attested by Government Officer in BS-17 or above, with stamp);
- Attested copy of declaration of News Agency;
- Copy of Registration certificate;
- Three months latest record of news stories released/disseminated to clients/subscribers;
- Bank Statement of last six months (duly verified by the Bank Manager, with stamp) showing minimum closing balance not less than Rs.5 lacs;
- List of employees (Head Office) with detail about designation and period served;
- List of Local Representatives (Country-wide) with detail about designation and period served;
- List of Subscribers/clients along with subscription rate/fee;
- Original Receipt of fee for NOC duly verified by Treasury Officer; **Rs. 5000/-** for Karachi, Lahore, Islamabad, Rawalpindi stations, whereas for rest of the country fee is **Rs. 1,000/-**-(On **32-A Challan Form** in any branch of **NBP / State Bank** in **A/C # C03886**, Account Title: **Government of Pakistan**);
- Original Affidavit of Applicant (Owner) as specified on stamp paper of Rs.100/-, duly attested by Oath Commissioner;
- Original Affidavit of Owner for source of funding as specified on stamp paper of Rs.100/-, duly attested by Oath Commissioner.
- Authority letter of chief executive/dean/chairman of authorizing institution/organization/etc. on original letterhead; (if applicable)

NOTE:

- ***Incomplete proformas/cases shall not be entertained.***
- ***Applications with all requirements submitted through proper channels i.e. Regional designated officers in PID/ RIO offices, shall be entertained.***

Affidavit of Owner of News Agency

I, Mr./Ms. _____ s/o, d/o , w/o _____ holder of
CNIC No. _____ resident of _____
do hereby solemnly affirm and declare on oath as under: -

- i. That I will be the sole proprietor/owner of the news agency titled _____
_____ in Language (Proposed) _____ from (Station)
_____;
- ii. That I will disseminate/release news in language (Proposed) _____
_____ from allotted stations _____;
- iii. That I have passed _____ Examination from _____
University/Board in the year _____;
- iv. That my financial position is very sound and will bear the expenditure to be incurred on the
functioning/operation of news agency _____;
- v. That I will abide by all the rules and regulations laid down in the **Press Newspapers, News
Agencies and Books Registration Ordinance-2002, as amended in 2007** and rules made
thereunder and the Constitution of Pakistan regarding news agencies and the printing and
publication of newspapers, periodicals and books etc.;
- vi. That I will supply four (4) copies daily News stories released regularly to **PRESS REGISTRAR,
Islamabad**;
- vii. That I am not holding **more than three titles (including publication and news agencies)** in my
name;
- viii. That I will be bound to strictly follow the eligibility criteria and inform the Press Registrar Office,
if and when, **editor** of said news agency is required to be changed;
- ix. That I will be bound to seek No Objection Certificate from the Press Registrar Office, if and
when, **language/ owner** of said news agency is required to be changed;
- x. That I will not disseminate/release any material against the ideology/sovereignty of Pakistan,
Armed Forces, contemptuous to the Courts and the supremacy of Islam;
- xi. That I have not been convicted of any criminal offence and have no criminal record;
- xii. That the above contents are true to the best of my knowledge and belief and nothing has
been concealed. I would be liable to be prosecute contravention of the above said;
- xiii. That according to best of my knowledge above mentioned news agency is not existing in any
part of the country and if any news agency having above title, be found operational before
my application, I will withdraw/change the above-mentioned title.

Deponent

Name: _____

CNIC No. _____

Signature & Thumb: _____

Affidavit of Owner of News Agency
(For Source of Funding & Clearance of Dues of Employees)

I, Mr./Ms. _____ s/o, d/o, w/o _____
resident of _____ holder
of CNIC No. _____, on behalf of _____
declared on oath that;

That I am the sole proprietor/owner of the news agency entitled as _____
_____ from (Station) _____ located
at _____;

That I am giving this declaration that I am regularly filing income tax return. My status is active in the FBR record and I have mentioned my source of income in details in my tax return. I will be responsible for giving undertaking on oath that I will appear before the Press Registrar to explain and prove my source of income if and when required.

That I am also giving this declaration that all expenses for the news agency will be organized from my own sources of income.

That I hereby undertake on oath that I have paid all dues/salaries of all employees to-date and no outstanding amount in case of dues/salaries of any employee is pending against me.

Deponent

Name: _____

CNIC No. _____

Signature & Thumb: _____
